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Subject: Sanction of your research proposal submitted under EOS-6/Oceansat-3 Utilization Project.

Dear Prof. Hitesh D. Patel,

Greetings from SAC.

You may recall that a User Meet was held on March 5, 2020 at SAC, soliciting proposals under EOS-6/Oceansat-3 Utilization Project for various themes (Ocean, Atmosphere and Land). We are pleased to inform you that your proposal has been reviewed by the Expert Committee and approved for funding with the revised budget of 25.8 Lakhs.

Based on your proposed research interest, your project has been linked to a suitable in-house ISRO Project: "Development of algorithms for monitoring carbon and nitrogen based productivity and distribution in coastal ocean Bay of Bengal and Arabian Sea and their role on biogeochemistry using in situ and satellite datasets".

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You are requested to kindly contact the concern ISRO PI for finalization of a joint work plan, including detailed objectives, methodology, data requirement, time schedule, deliverables/science results and budget. The joint work plan has to be approved and forwarded by the concerned Head of the Institution/University/Department. The final work plan and compliance statement should be submitted to the undersigned on or before Sep 15, 2022.

Looking forward for your active participation in making EOS-6/Oceansat-3 UP a success.

With best regards,


(Rashmi Sharma)

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